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Click here to view or print the CP&P Form <u>10-8(S)</u>, Consent to Independent Living by Parent(s), Legal Guardian, or Legal Custodian (Spanish)

WHEN TO USE IT

Use this form with a parent(s) who speaks Spanish as a primary language to:

- Record parental consent for an adolescent (child) to be placed in an independent living arrangement;
- Acknowledge the cooperative effort between CP&P and the parent(s), guardian, or caregiver to plan for the adolescent; and
- Emphasize the parent's responsibility to pay child support and provide medical support for his or her child placed in independent living through CP&P, while familiarizing the parent with child support collection procedures.

Note: Do not use this voluntary placement agreement when the adolescent has been, or needs to be, removed from his or her home due to abuse or neglect.

HOW TO USE IT

- Give a Spanish copy of the independent living placement consent form to the parent(s), legal guardian or legal custodian for his/her thorough review (all three pages);
- Read the form, in Spanish, in its entirety, to the parent(s), legal guardian or legal custodian;
 - When the Worker and client speak different languages, the Worker enlists the assistance of a translator or bi-lingual Worker.

- Prepare in duplicate, by inserting carbon paper, or have two copies signed; and
- Complete the form by hand with the parent(s), guardian(s) or caregiver.

DISTRIBUTION

Original - Adolescent's case record

Copy (or second original) - Parent(s), legal guardian/legal custodian

Addendum - Parent(s), legal guardian/legal custodian